

I wish to inform the FCC and Congress that I highly oppose the use of BPL. Tests prove it will wipe out most of the spectrum from 2-80 Mhz and will destroy the amateur radio bands in that spectrum with noise. In light of the last couple of years it should be clear to everyone that disasters can and do occur. Many times the only means of communication is by amateur radio. Many of us have emergency power so we can operate when power is not available. Do not destroy the only means of communication we may have in a time of need by letting BPL become legal. This is the worst threat to the spectrum I have seen in over 30 years of being an amateur radio operator. I hold an Extra Class Amateur Radio License and a General Class Radiotelephone License and have been involved with broadcasting for 38 years. Please put an end to this idiotic proposal so we can preserve the spectrum for everyone's use. There are many more viable ways of accessing the internet without the use of BPL.

Sincerely,  
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